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IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph at page 1, lines 4-8 to read as follows:

This application is a division of and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC §120  
from U.S. Serial No. 10/140,941, filed May 9, 2002, and is based upon and claims the benefit  
of priority under 35 USC §119 from ~~the prior~~ Japanese Patent Application P2001-286754  
filed on September 20, 2001; the entire contents of which are incorporated by reference  
herein.